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Applicant(s) : Yuan Chang et al.
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 For : UNIQUE ASSOCIATED KAPOSI'S SARCOMA VIRUS SEQUENCES
AND USES THEREOF

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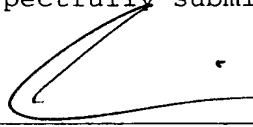
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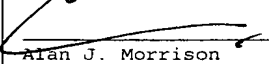
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 22, 2006 OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is submitted in response to the February 22, 2006 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the February 22, 2006 Office Action is due May 22, 2006. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows: